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In re Patent of : DECISION ON REQUEST  
Fago et al. : FOR  
Patent No. 7,621,892 : RECONSIDERATION OF  
Issue Date: November 24, 2009 : PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT  
Application No. 10/750,427 : and  
Filed: December 31, 2003 : NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE  
Docket No. L-F/217/273 : CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

This is a decision on the petition filed on January 24, 2010, which is being treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.705(d) requesting that the patent term adjustment indicated on the above-identified patent be corrected to indicate that the term of the above-identified patent is extended or adjusted by six hundred sixty-nine (669) days.

The petition to correct the patent term adjustment indicated on the above-identified patent to indicate that the term of the above-identified patent is extended or adjusted by six hundred sixty-nine (669) days is **GRANTED to the extent indicated herein.**

As the period from the filing date of the request for continued examination (RCE) to the issue date of the patent is not included in the "B" delay period, the over three year period begins on January 1, 2007 and ends on October 30, 2007, the day before the RCE was filed, and is 303 (not 304) days. See 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(B)(i). As such, the patent term adjustment is 668, not 669 days.

The Office will *sua sponte* issue a certificate of correction. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.322, the Office will not issue a certificate of correction without first providing assignee or

patentee an opportunity to be heard. Accordingly, patentees are given **one (1) month or thirty (30) days**, whichever is longer, from the mail date of this decision to respond. No extensions of time will be granted under § 1.136.

The application is being forwarded to the Certificates of Branch for issuance of a certificate of correction. The Office will issue a certificate of correction indicating that the term of the above-identified patent is extended or adjusted by **six hundred sixty-eight (668) days**.

Telephone inquiries specific to this matter should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3230.



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Enclosure: Copy of DRAFT Certificate of Correction

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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT : 7,621,892 B2

DATED : November 24, 2009

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INVENTOR(S) : Fago et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the cover page,

[\*] Notice: Subject to any disclaimer, the term of this patent is extended or adjusted under 35 U.S.C. 154(b) by 425 days

Delete the phrase "by 425 days" and insert -- by 668 days--